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For: METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR DYNAMICALLY MAINTAINING AND EXECUTING  
DATA DEFINITIONS AND/OR BUSINESS RULES FOR AN ELECTRONIC  
PROCUREMENT SYSTEM

**NOTICE OF APPEAL FROM THE PRIMARY EXAMINER  
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Attention: After Final

Sir:

Applicant hereby appeals to the Board from the decision of the Primary Examiner mailed  
February 6, 2006 finally rejecting claims 1, 4, 6, 21, 29, 30, 43, 73, and 93-100.

The items checked below are appropriate:

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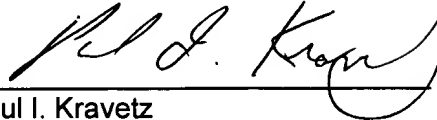
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Respectfully submitted,

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